



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit: 2852
Examiner: Sandra L. Brase

In Re PATENT APPLICATION Of:

Applicants: Masahiro YOSHIMOTO)
Serial No.: 10/614,123) PETITION FOR
Filed: July 8, 2003) EXTENSION OF TIME
For: PRINTING APPARATUS)
Docket No.: MAE 289)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the period for replying to the Examiner's Action dated August 31, 2004, be extended for two months under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(b).

The applicable extension fee of \$420.00 under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a) is submitted herewith.

Should any additional fees be required please charge the same to our Deposit Account No. 18-0002 and advise us accordingly. This paper is being filed in duplicate.

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Respectfully submitted,

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